

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Yoshiaki OKUNO et al.

Application No.: 10/830,097

Confirmation No.: 7525

Filed: April 23, 2004

Art Unit: 2629

For: IMAGE DISPLAY DEVICE AND IMAGE
DISPLAY METHOD

Examiner: D. Q. Dinh

LETTER

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Further to the telephone conversation with the Examiner on October 26, 2009, the Examiner is correct that the Terminal Disclaimer filed September 28, 2009 was not signed by an attorney of record. Thus, a Supplemental Terminal Disclaimer has been filed herewith. Applicants also submit the following Remarks.

REMARKS

Applicants appreciate that the Examiner found our previously filed arguments with respect to rejected claims 3 and 4 persuasive. Applicants also appreciate that the Examiner agreed to withdraw the outstanding prior art rejection against these claims.

CONCLUSION

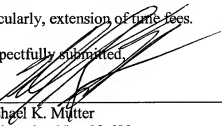
In view of the above remarks, Applicants believe the pending application is in condition for allowance.

Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Ali M. Imam Reg. No. 58,755 at the telephone number of the undersigned below, to conduct an interview in an effort to expedite prosecution in connection with the present application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37.C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Dated: November 2, 2009

Respectfully submitted,

By 
Michael K. Mutter
Registration No.: 29,680
BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP
8110 Gatehouse Road
Suite 100 East
P.O. Box 747
Falls Church, Virginia 22040-0747
(703) 205-8000
Attorney for Applicants